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ASSEMBLY CENTER HEAD GREETES RESIDENTS

EDITORIAL . . .

The Tanforan Totalizer is intended to be this center's paper in every way. Its interests are those of all the residents here. It is not the organ of any self-seeking group and it will not play any politics. It will seek to promote a democratic and cooperative spirit within the community as the basis of all action whether individual or collective.

That the paper may be truly representative of the whole community, it will be open to every sort of suggestion from its readers for improving it from issue to issue. All those interested in the venture are invited to take active part in the publication.

The present temporary staff has taken the initiative in starting the paper in the belief that the common good would be served thereby. Final adjustments within the staff will be based on ability and willingness to do the work.

COOPERATION STRESSED

Wm. R. Lawson, Tanforan Assembly Center Manager, today greeted residents here in a statement made to this paper as follows:

"May I take this opportunity of extending my greetings to all the residents of Tanforan Assembly Center and to congratulate them on the first issue of their newspaper. This paper can play a most important part in the community life of this Center and I wish it every success.

"I would like to impress upon every resident the importance of accepting his full share of responsibility in the operation of the Center... There is a big job to be done and everyone must do his or her part.

"It will be the policy of the management to make this community as self-governing as possible. The success of this policy and the happiness and welfare of everyone will depend on the cooperation of all concerned.

"Only such rules and regulations will be made by the management as are necessary for the health, welfare and best interests of all concerned. Strict compliance with those regulations is essential."

p.o.'s daily tote hits 6000

Handling about 6000 pieces of mail--3000 going out and an equal number coming in--the Tanforan postoffice is today one of the busiest places in the center.

Of the outgoing mail, about 1000 are postcards. But the most hectic activity of the postoffice is in selling and cashing money orders.

Postmaster Gill Juchert reports that his office sells more money orders daily than the town of San Bruno, even though hours for handling them are limited to the morning.

The postmaster advises those who have not yet done so to notify the home town postoffice of changes in address, otherwise mail may be delayed two days.

According to Frank Iwanaga, in the lost letter department, over 1000 letters a day are received by the office because barrack and apartment numbers are lacking.

Although it may be provided later, no special delivery service has yet been established. Regular deliveries occur twice a day. Letters leave camp

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MEDICAL CENTER

EMERGENCY!

If you slice a nice gob of yourself or something akin, the report's to be dashed to the Medical Center (main hospital) where an ambulance and a sedan are on 24-hour duty for cases warranting use.

HAVE YOU BEEN SHOT?

Typhoid shots and vaccinations for smallpox are being given during May at the Center on Mondays and Wednesdays, 9-11 a.m. All residents still unshot are to report.

THE CENTER

The Medical Center (see map on page 4) at present has five buildings, with 1 as the general clinic; 2 as the main hospital; 5 as the dental and special baby clinic. Dr. Hajime Uoyama and his staff are in charge. Dr. Carl Hirota and Miss Masao Mori, RN, head, respectively, the dental and nursing staffs. Clinic schedules have been posted thruout our City.

MRS. NARUO SETS PACE WITH JUDY...

The newest Tanforan arrival is 7½ lb. Judy Naruo, born to Mrs. Michie Naruo last Monday at 8:50 p.m., Dr. Kazuo Togasaki attending.

Mother and infant are both reported doing well in the center hospital.

The proud parents reside in B. 110, A.3 and are from San Leandro.